

APPENDIX A

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Marked-Up Claims
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1. (Twice Amended) A white, biaxially oriented, flame-retardant and UV-resistant polyester film comprising at least one layer, wherein at least this layer comprises, based on the weight of this layer, from [2 to 60] 8-10% by weight of a cyclo olefin copolymer (COC) based upon a norbornene monomer, where the glass transition temperature of the COC is within the range from 70 to 270°C, and wherein the layer comprises at least one UV stabilizer as light stabilizer and a flame retardant, where at least the flame retardant [and preferably also the UV stabilizer,] is fed directly as a masterbatch to the polyester during film production, said layer containing 10-70% by weight of this layer of a regrind[, said film showing no marked increase in yellowness compound to film containing no regrind].

14. (Twice Amended) The white, biaxially oriented, flame-retardant, UV-resistant polyester film comprising at least one layer, which comprises, based on the weight of this layer, from [2 to 60] 8-10% by weight of COC based upon a norbornene monomer, where the opacity of the film is above 60%, wherein the film also comprises from 0.1 to 5% by weight, preferably from 0.5 to 3.0% by weight, of a UV stabilizer as light stabilizer, and also comprises an amount within the range from 1 to 20% by weight of a flame retardant, based in each case on the weight of the layer comprising the UV stabilizer and/or comprising the flame retardant, said layer containing 10-70% by weight of this layer of a regrind[, said film showing no marked increase in yellowness compound to film containing no regrind].

15. (Twice Amended) The white, biaxially oriented, flame-retardant, UV-resistant polyester film comprising at least one layer, which comprises, based on the weight of this layer, from [2 to 60] 8-10% by weight of COC based upon a norbornene monomer, and the whiteness of which is above 70%, wherein the film also comprises from 0.1 to 5% by weight, preferably from 0.5 to 3.0% by weight, of a UV stabilizer as light stabilizer, and also comprises an amount within the range from 1 to 20% by weight of a flame retardant, based

in each case on the weight of the layer comprising the UV stabilizer and/or comprising the flame retardant, said layer containing 10-70% by weight of this layer of a regrind[, said film showing no marked increase in yellowness compound to film containing no regrind].

16. (Twice Amended) The white, biaxially oriented, flame-retardant, UV-resistant polyester film comprising at least one layer, which comprises, based on the weight of this layer, from [2 to 60] 8-10% by weight of COC based upon a norbornene monomer, and the gloss of which is above 80, wherein the film also comprises from 0.1 to 5%, preferably from 0.5 to 3.0% by weight, of a UV stabilizer as light stabilizer, and also comprises an amount within the range from 1 to 20% by weight of a flame retardant, based in each case on the weight of the layer comprising the UV stabilizer and/or comprising the flame retardant, said layer containing 10-70% by weight of this layer of a regrind[, said film showing no marked increase in yellowness compound to film containing no regrind].